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REQUEST FOR WITHDRAWAL AS ATTORNEYS OR AGENTS

Dear Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.36 and M.P.E.P. §§402.05 and 402.06, the attorneys of record listed below, on whose behalf the undersigned attorney has signed this request, respectfully request permission to withdraw as attorneys of record in the above-identified patent application because counsel for the assignee of the entire interest has requested that the above-identified case be transferred to another Attorney.

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☒ There is currently an outstanding office action received by the undersigned attorney prior to the date of this Request to Withdraw for which a response is now due to be filed on November 14, 2002.

☐ There is currently no outstanding office action received by the undersigned attorney prior to the date of this Request to Withdraw.

The assignee, Roxio, Inc., who acquired the present application by assignment, requested that this file be forwarded to **Albert S. Penilla, Esq.** for immediate prosecution and handling.

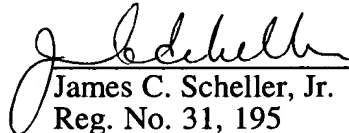
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